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Applicant(s): Berger, Alexander J.; Kretz, Frank E.
Assignee: Tru-Si Technologies, Inc.
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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

The Office Action dated September 25, 2002 requires a restriction to one of the following groups of claims:

- I. Claims 1-12 and 21-24;
- II. Claims 13-20.

Applicants elect Claims 13-20.

The undersigned can be contacted by telephone at the number below with any questions regarding this case.

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